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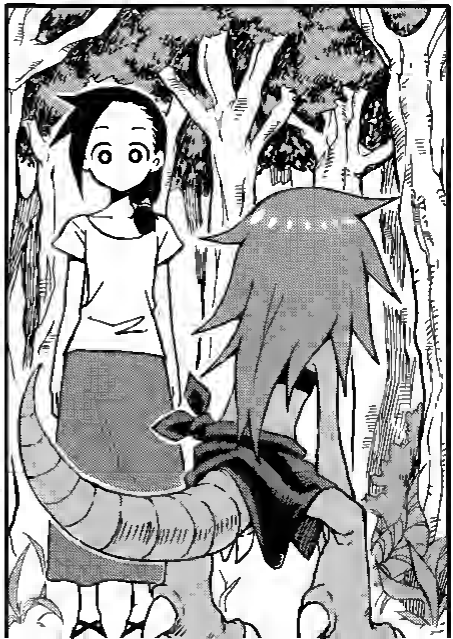
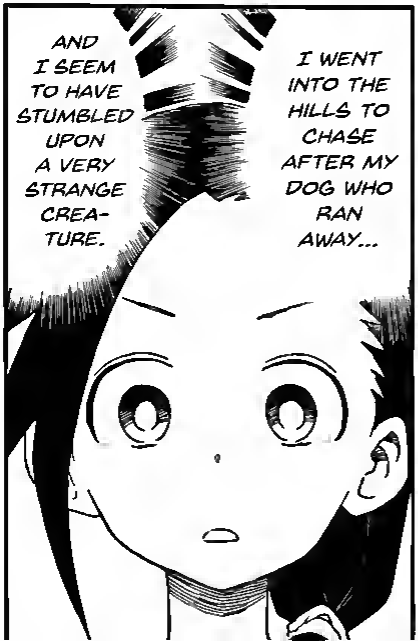
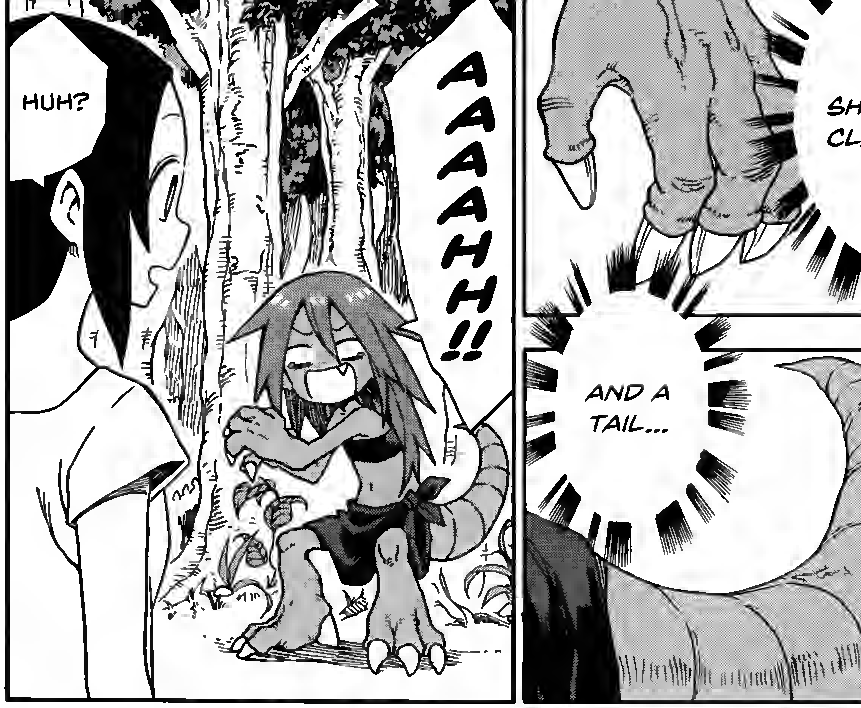
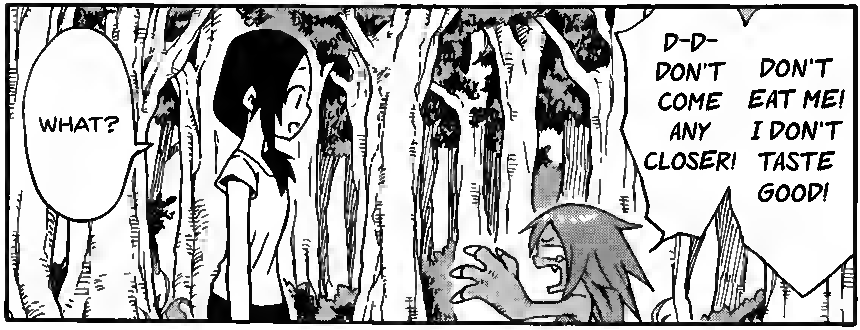



I WENT INTO THE HILLS TO CHASE AFTER MY DOG WHO RAN AWAY...
AND I SEEM TO HAVE STUMBLED UPON A VERY STRANGE CREATURE.


AAAAH!!
HUH?
SHE HAS CLAWS...
AND A TAIL...


WHAT?
D-D-DON'T COME ANY CLOSER!
DON'T EAT ME! I DON'T TASTE GOOD!

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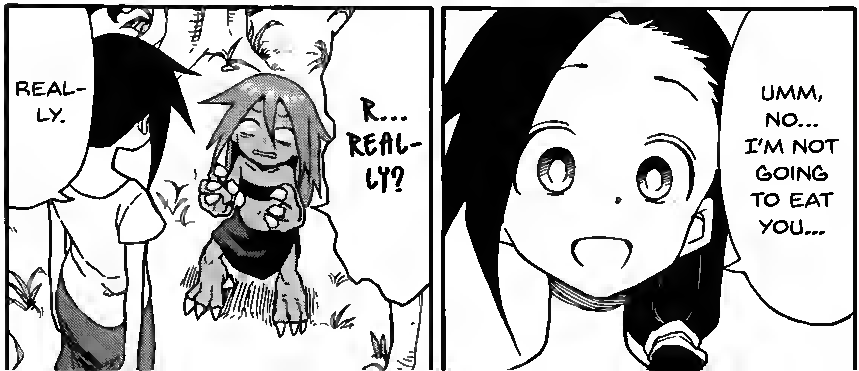
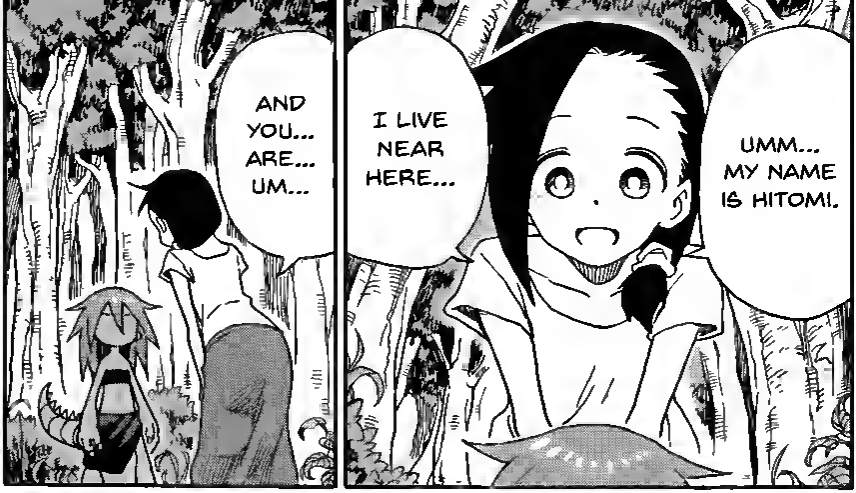
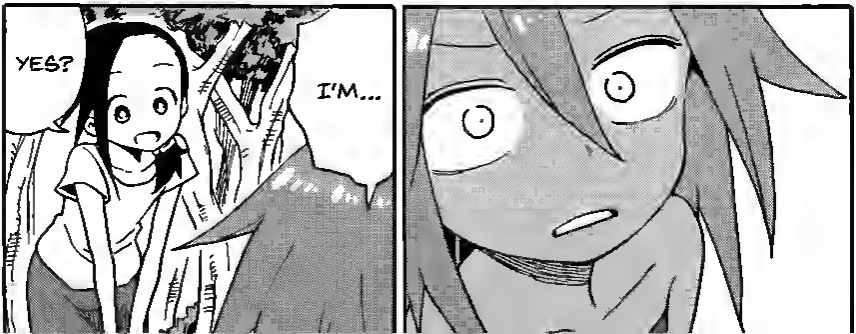
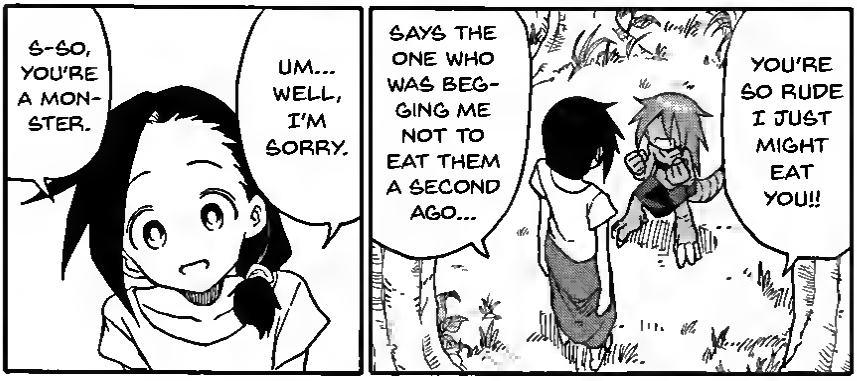

REAL-LY.
R... REAL-LY?
UMM, NO... I'M NOT GOING TO EAT YOU...


AND YOU... ARE... UM...
I LIVE NEAR HERE...
UMM... MY NAME IS HITOMI.

A LIZARD PERSON?


YES?
I'M...

A MON-STER!!
DON'T YOU DARE CALL ME A LIZARD!!
OH... A MON-STER?


YOU'RE SO RUDE I JUST MIGHT EAT YOU!!
SAYS THE ONE WHO WAS BEG-GING ME NOT TO EAT THEM A SECOND AGO...
UM... WELL, I'M SORRY.
S-SO, YOU'RE A MON-STER.

DOES THAT MEAN YOU CAN BREATHE FIRE?
WH-

I WAS FIGHTING WITH THIS BIG WOLF EARLIER!!
BUT I'M REALLY STRONG!
AWW... THAT'S A LITTLE DISAP-POINT-ING.
I JUST HATCHED, SO NO...

WATCH THIS.
OH, COME ON!! WHY DON'T YOU BELIEVE ME?!
THERE AREN'T ANY WOLVES IN THESE HILLS.

GRAAA AAAAA HHH!!!

YOU'RE REALLY JUST A LIZARD, AREN'T YOU?
OW...
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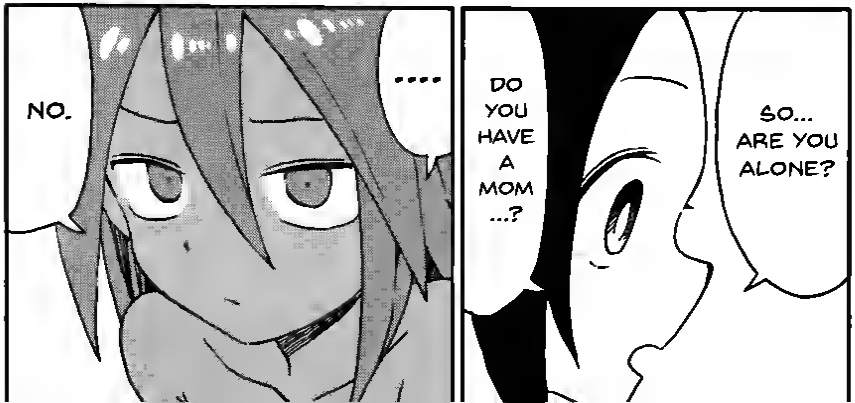
AHH! SORRY. I ALWAYS JUST KIND OF BLURT OUT WHAEVER I'M THINKING.
I'M! A! MON! STER!!


NO.
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DO YOU HAVE A MOM ...?
SO... ARE YOU ALONE?

LIKE I SAID...
YOU POOR LIZARD.
...I SEE.
I'VE BEEN ALONE SINCE I HATCHED FROM MY EGG THREE DAYS AGO.
HUH?
AH. HOW ABOUT YOU STAY WITH US?
I'M NOT A...
A-ARE YOU SURE?
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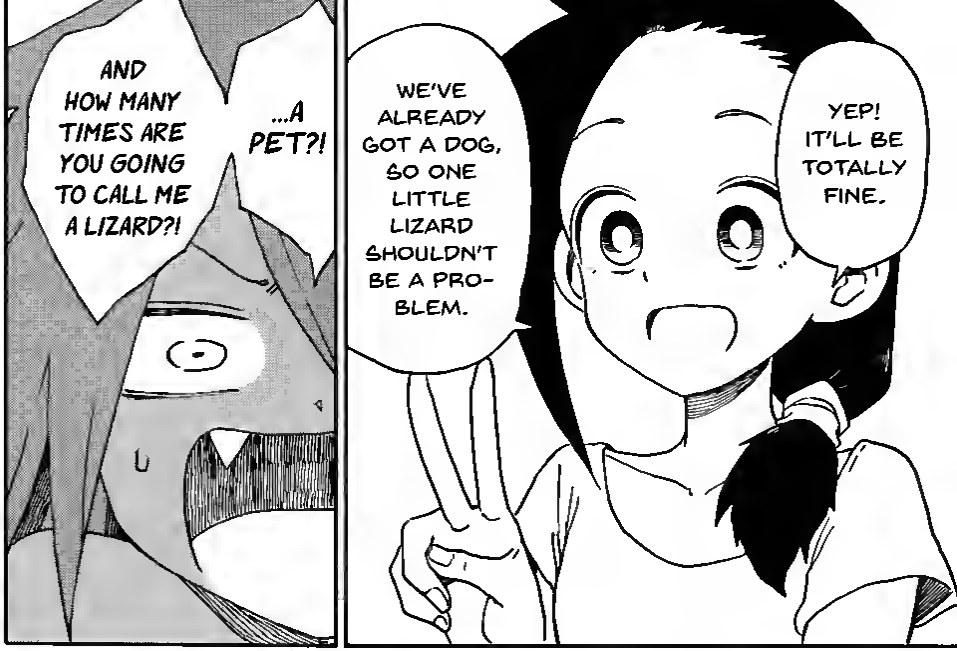
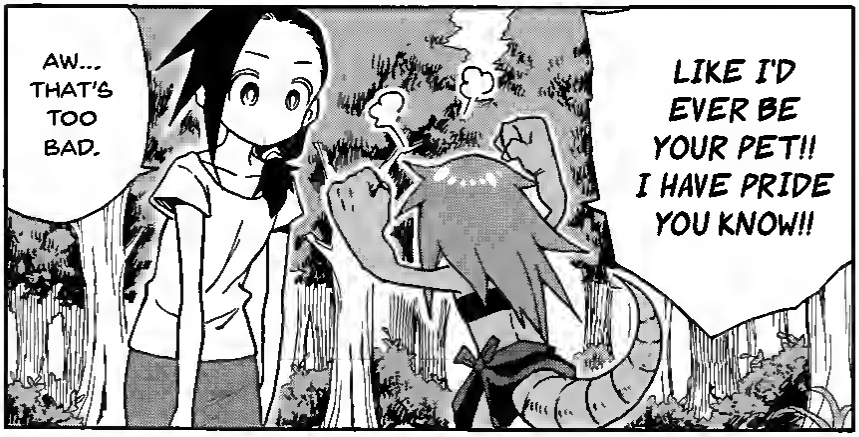
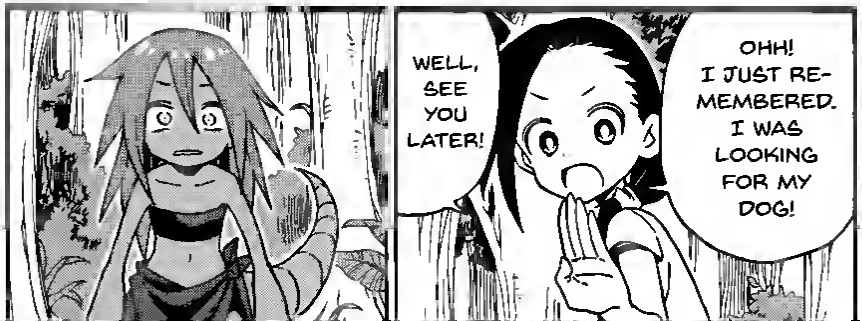
I MEAN, IF YOU'RE OKAY WITH IT.
SINCE YOU DON'T HAVE A HOME.


AND HOW MANY TIMES ARE YOU GOING TO CALL ME A LIZARD?!
...A PET?!
WE'VE ALREADY GOT A DOG, SO ONE LITTLE LIZARD SHOULDN'T BE A PROBLEM.
YEP! IT'LL BE TOTALLY FINE.


AW... THAT'S TOO BAD.
LIKE I'D EVER BE YOUR PET!! I HAVE PRIDE YOU KNOW!!


WELL, SEE YOU LATER!
OHH! I JUST REMEMBERED. I WAS LOOKING FOR MY DOG!

UM... THE WOLF MIGHT COME BACK, SO...
I'LL PROTECT YOU.
HM?
I SEE~
NO!
ARE YOU LONELY?
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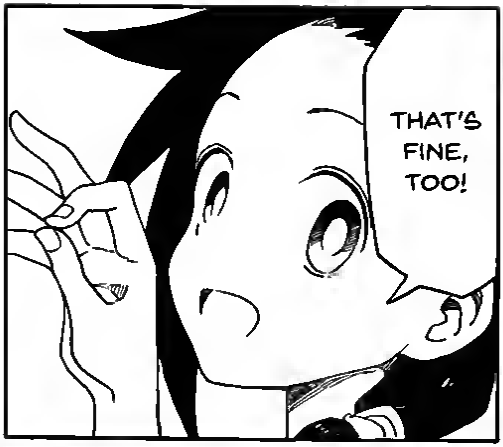
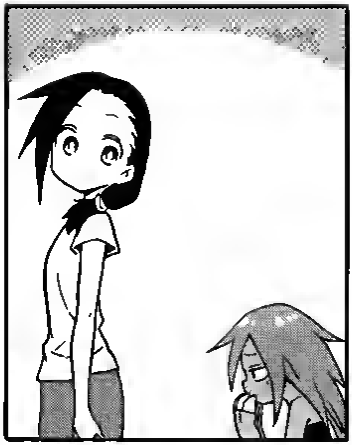
CAN'T I BE YOUR FRIEND INSTEAD?
DO I HAVE TO BE YOUR PET?

HEY... ABOUT ME STAYING AT YOUR HOUSE.


THAT'S FINE, TOO!



YEP!
AS FRIENDS ?!

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GET BACK!
COME HERE~
AH, POCHI.
WOOF!
DON'T WORRY! I'LL KEEP YOU SAFE!
UM, NO... E'S NOT-
THE WOLF IS BACK!! BUT HE WON'T BEAT ME THIS TIME!!
HUH?
W-WAIT...
TAKE THIS, WOLF!! MY SECRET MOVE!!
NO, THAT'S MY DOG.

HURRY! RUN AWAY WHILE MY TAIL DISTRACTS HIM!!
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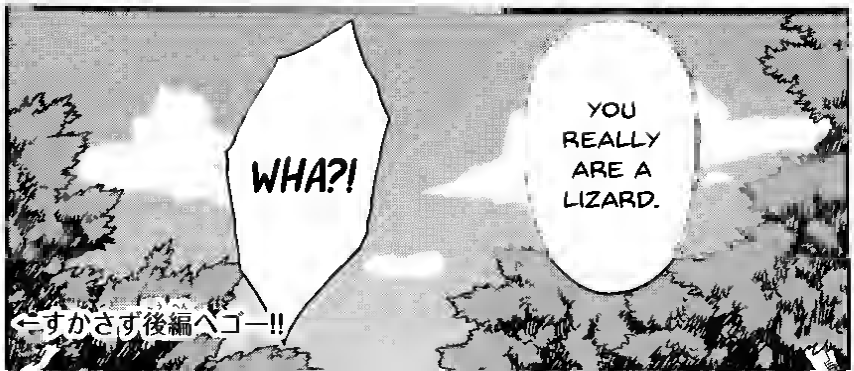
DON'T WORRY!! MY TAIL WILL GROW BACK!!


WHA?!
YOU REALLY ARE A LIZARD.
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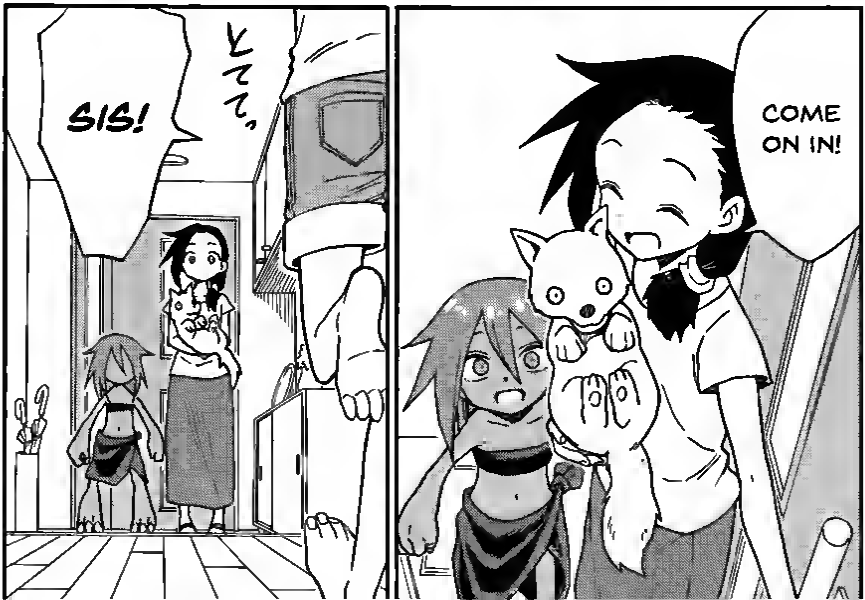
怪獣のトカゲ
後編
WOW!
THIS IS MY HOUSE!
山本崇一朗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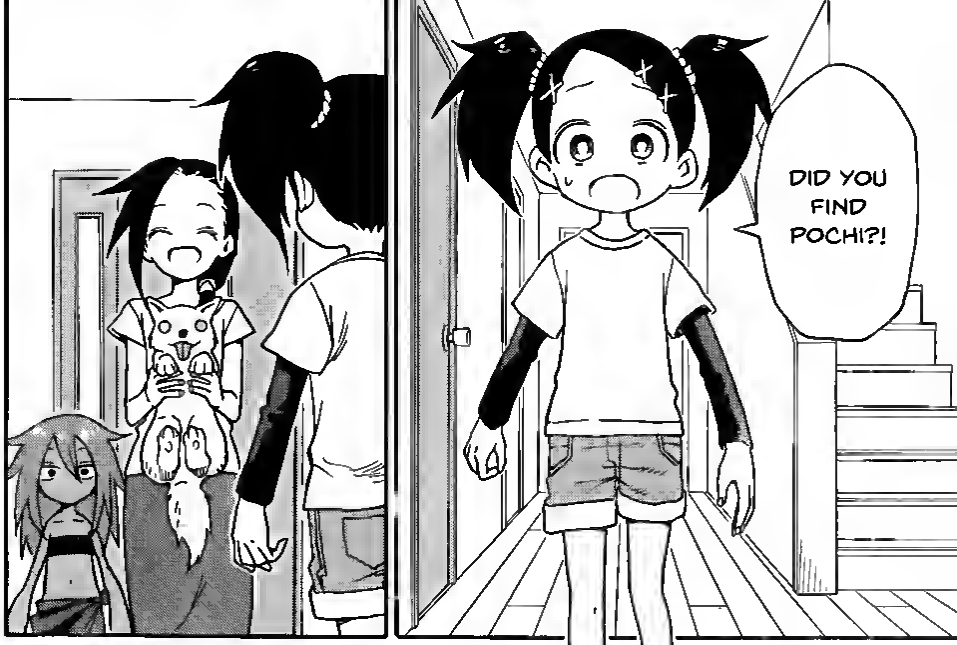
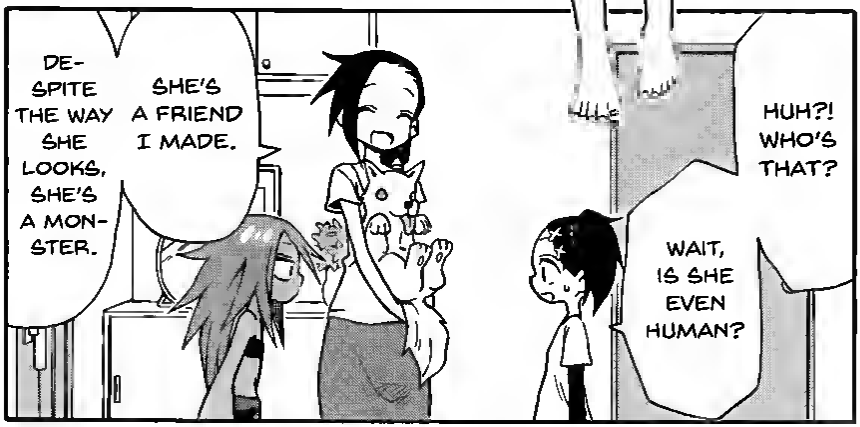
SIS!
COME ON IN!


DID YOU FIND POCHI?!


HUH?! WHO'S THAT?
WAIT, IS SHE EVEN HUMAN?
SHE'S A FRIEND I MADE.
DE-SPITE THE WAY SHE LOOKS, SHE'S A MON-STER.

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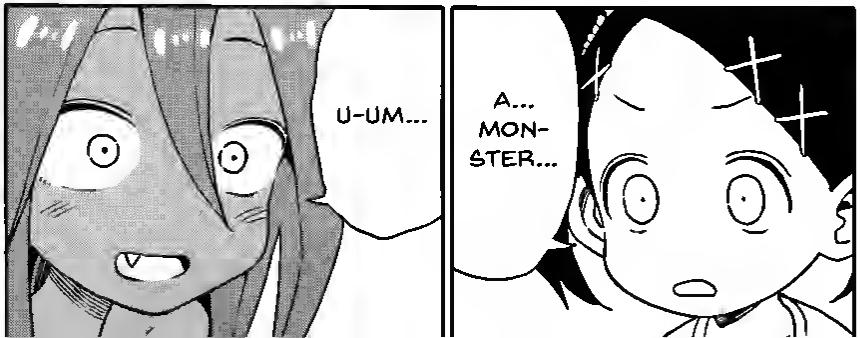
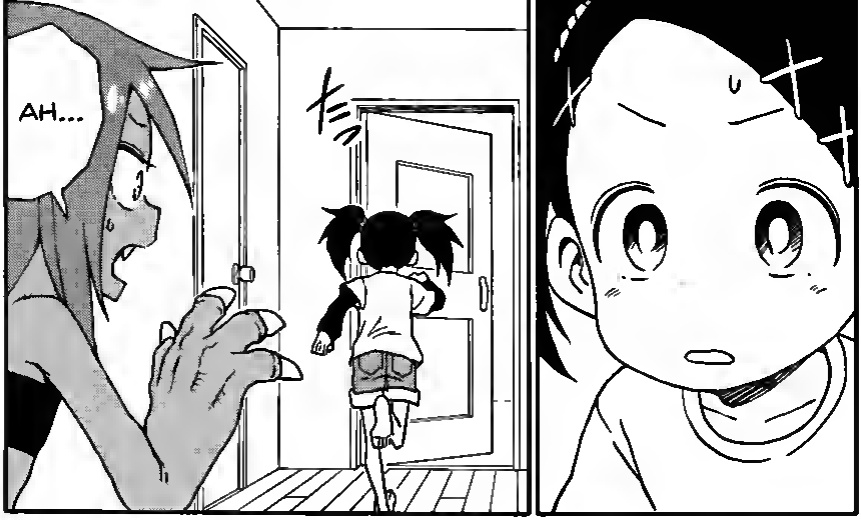
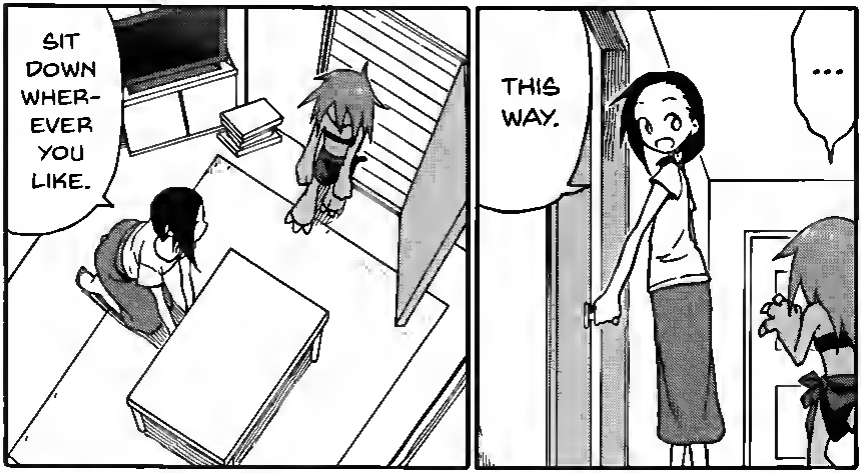

U-UM...
A... MON-STER...


AH...


SIT DOWN WHER-EVER YOU LIKE.
THIS WAY.
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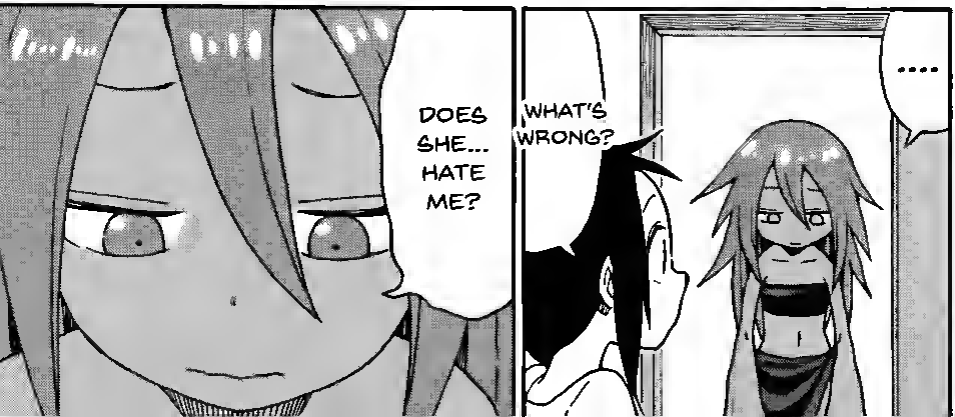
DOES SHE... HATE ME?
WHAT'S WRONG?
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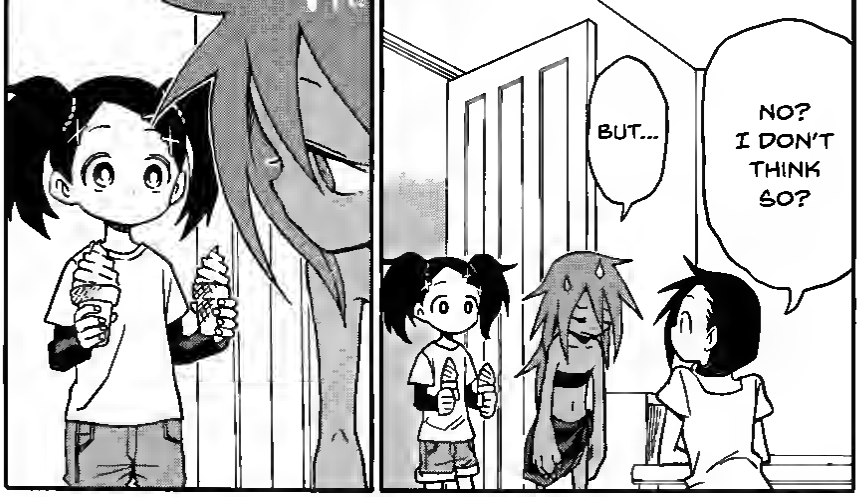
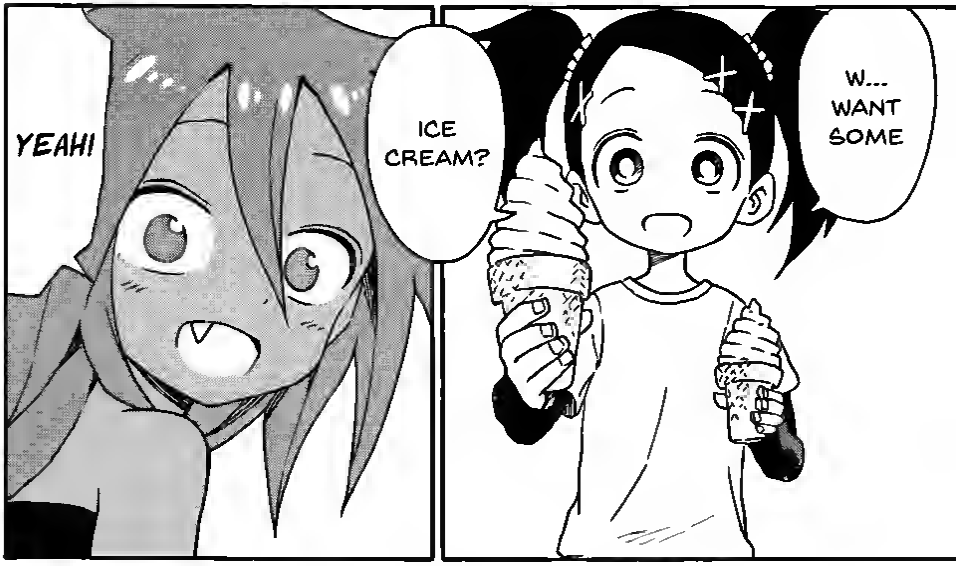
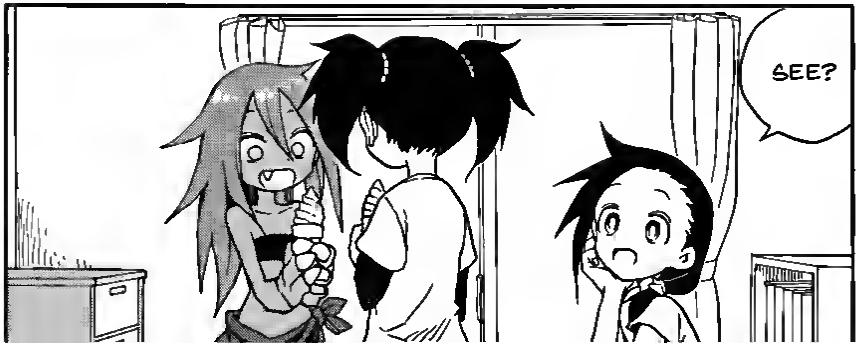
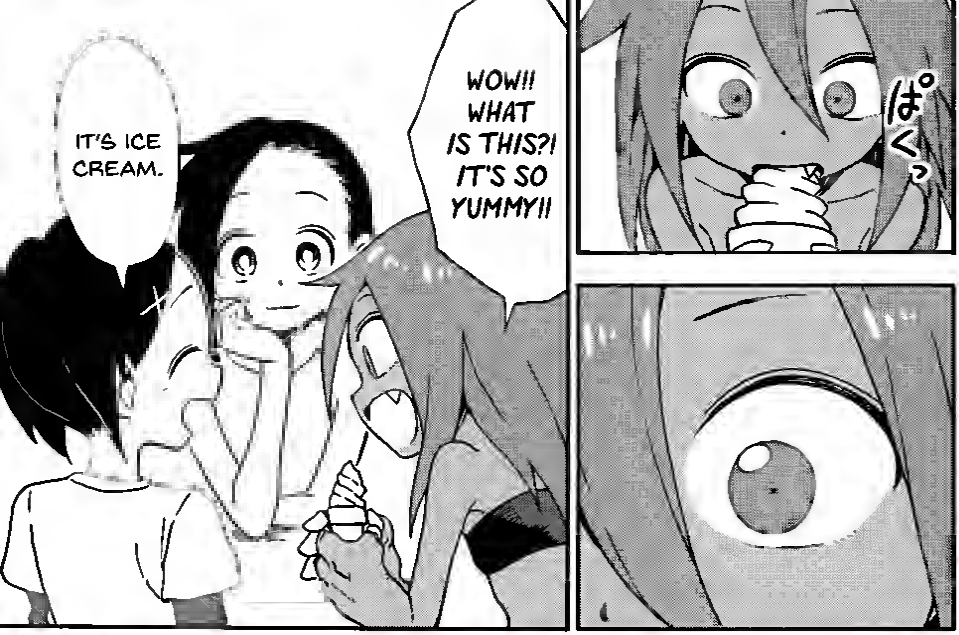

NO? I DON'T THINK SO?
BUT...


W... WANT SOME
ICE CREAM?
YEAH!


SEE?


IT'S ICE CREAM.
WOW!! WHAT IS THIS?! IT'S SO YUMMY!!
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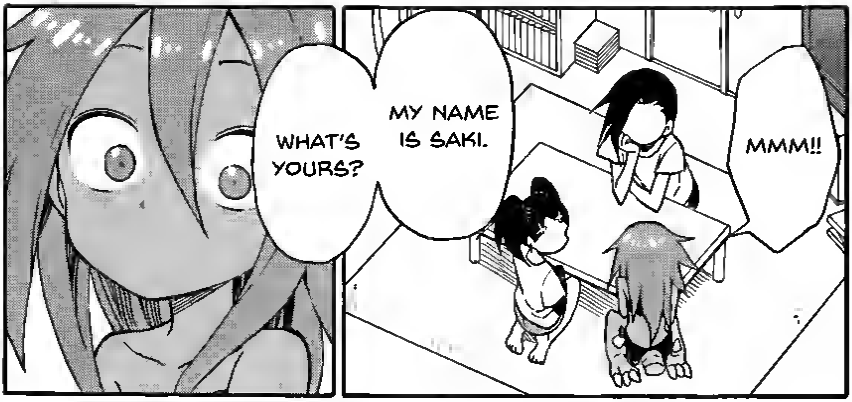
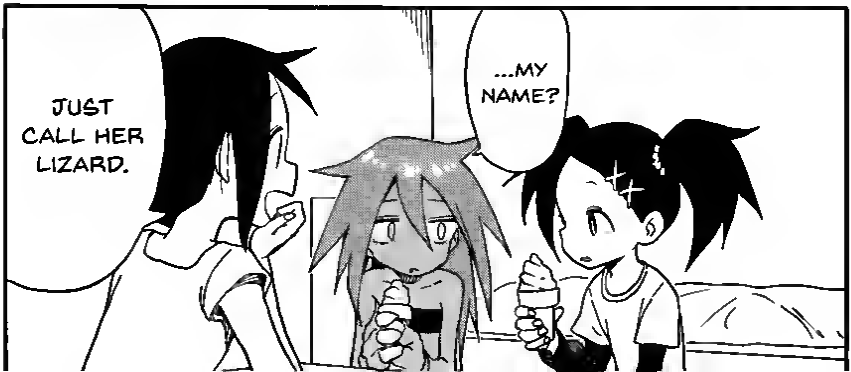
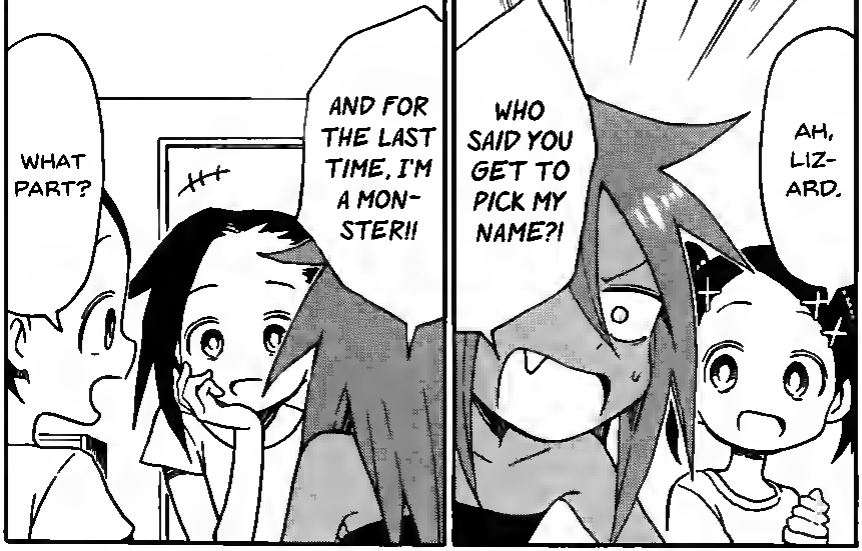
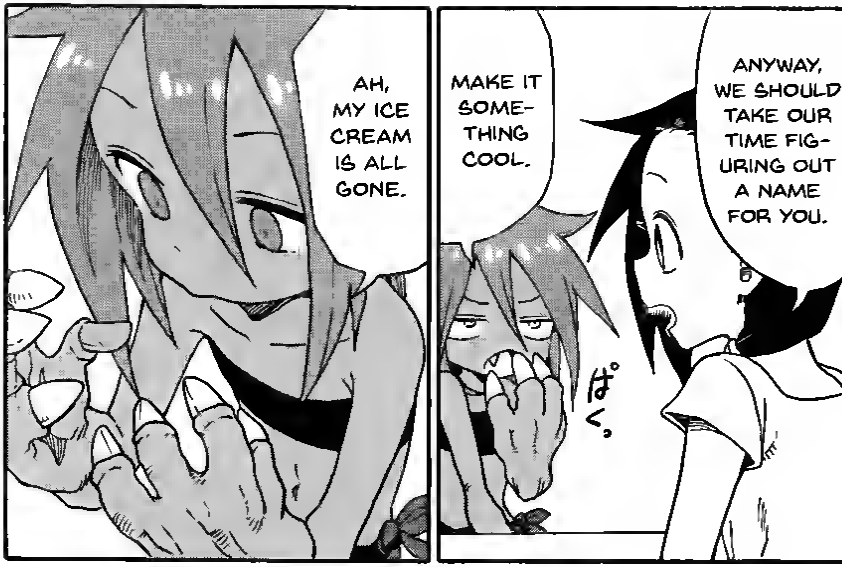

WHAT'S YOURS?
MY NAME IS SAKI.
MMM!!


JUST CALL HER LIZARD.
...MY NAME?


AH, LIZARD.
WHO SAID YOU GET TO PICK MY NAME?!
AND FOR THE LAST TIME, I'M A MONSTER!!
WHAT PART?

HUH?
WHAT PART OF YOU
IS A MONSTER?

E... EVERYTHING.
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR TAIL?
SHE LOST IT BECAUSE SHE'S A LIZARD.


AH, MY ICE CREAM IS ALL GONE.
MAKE IT SOME-THING COOL.
ANYWAY, WE SHOULD TAKE OUR TIME FIG-URING OUT A NAME FOR YOU.
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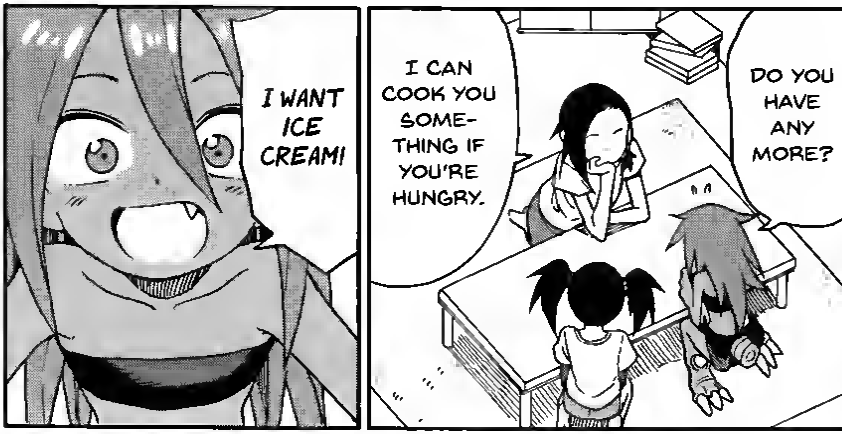
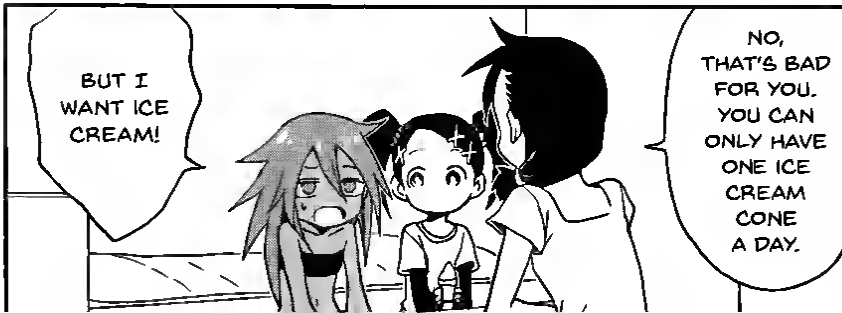
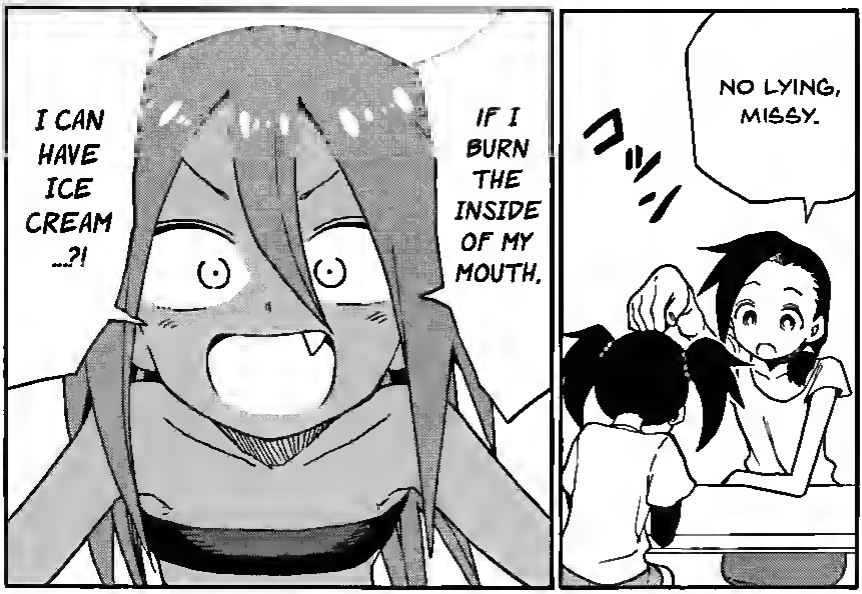
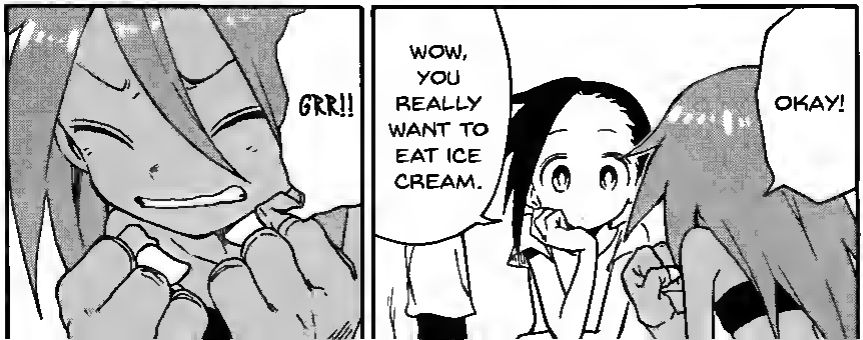

I WANT ICE CREAM!
I CAN COOK YOU SOME-THING IF YOU'RE HUNGRY.
DO YOU HAVE ANY MORE?


BUT I WANT ICE CREAM!
NO, THAT'S BAD FOR YOU. YOU CAN ONLY HAVE ONE ICE CREAM CONE A DAY.

...I HAVE TO KEEP IT COOL.
I... I BURNT THE INSIDE OF MY MOUTH, SO...
WH-
HM?
SAKI, DIDN'T YOU HAVE ICE CREAM THIS MORNING, TOO?


I CAN HAVE ICE CREAM ...?!
IF I BURN THE INSIDE OF MY MOUTH,
NO LYING, MISSY.


GRR!!
WOW, YOU REALLY WANT TO EAT ICE CREAM.
OKAY!

WHAT ARE YOU EVEN TRYING TO DO?
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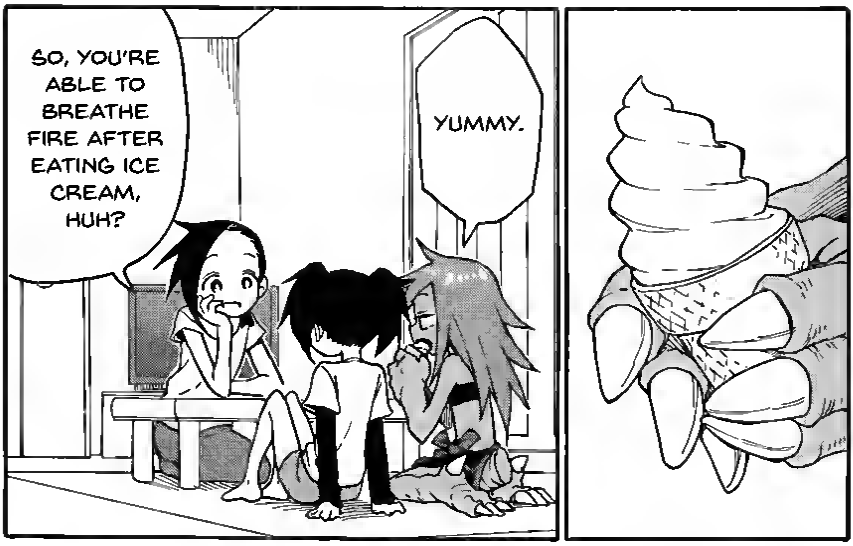
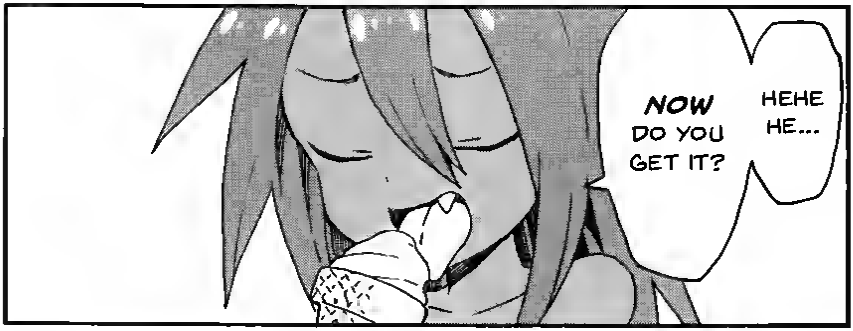
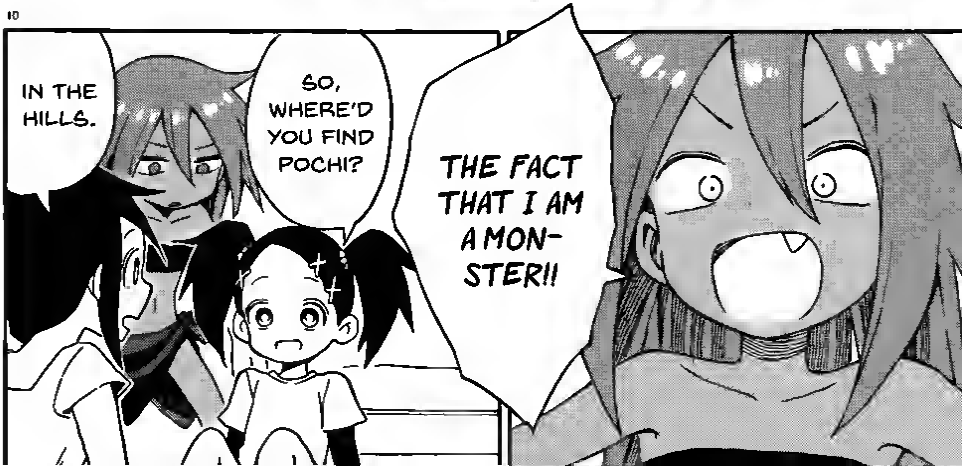
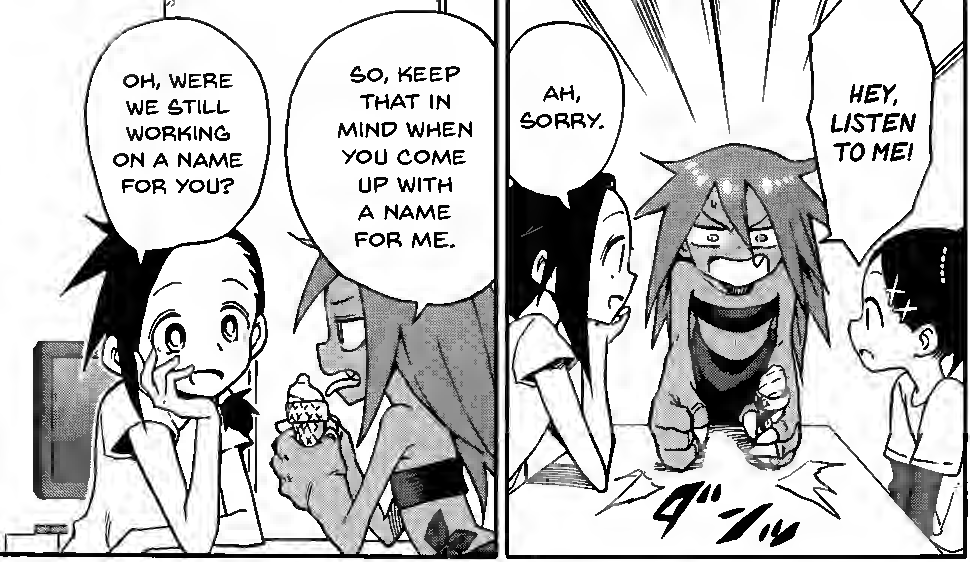
I DID IT!!
THE INSIDE OF MY MOUTH HURTS!!


SO, YOU'RE ABLE TO BREATHE FIRE AFTER EATING ICE CREAM, HUH?
YUMMY.


HEHE HE...
NOW DO YOU GET IT?


IN THE HILLS.
SO, WHERE'D YOU FIND POCHI?
THE FACT THAT I AM A MON-STER!!


OH, WERE WE STILL WORKING ON A NAME FOR YOU?
SO, KEEP THAT IN MIND WHEN YOU COME UP WITH A NAME FOR ME.
AH, SORRY.
HEY, LISTEN TO ME!
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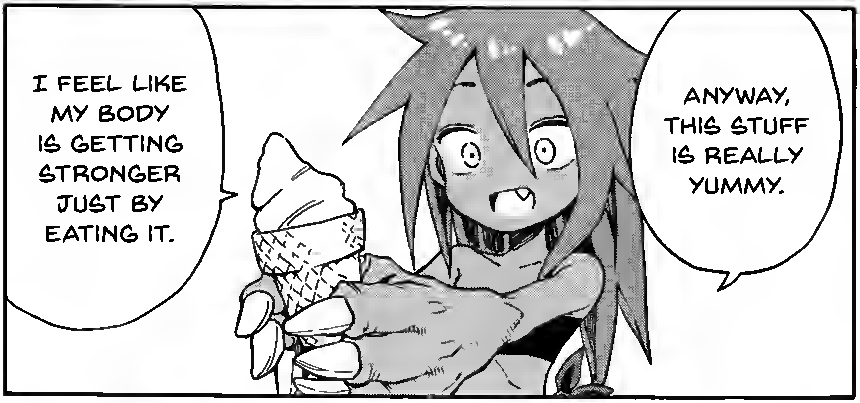
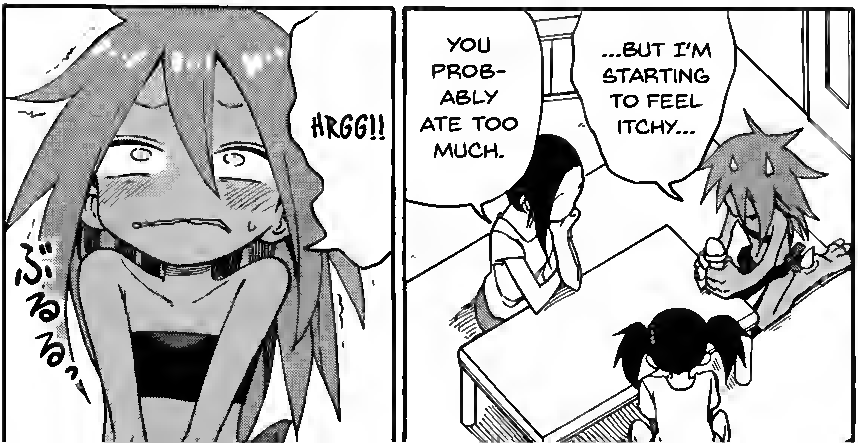

I FEEL LIKE MY BODY IS GETTING STRONGER JUST BY EATING IT.
ANYWAY, THIS STUFF IS REALLY YUMMY.


HRGG!!
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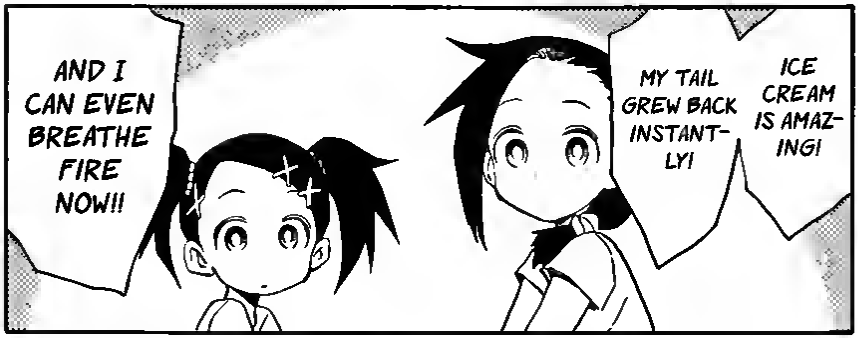
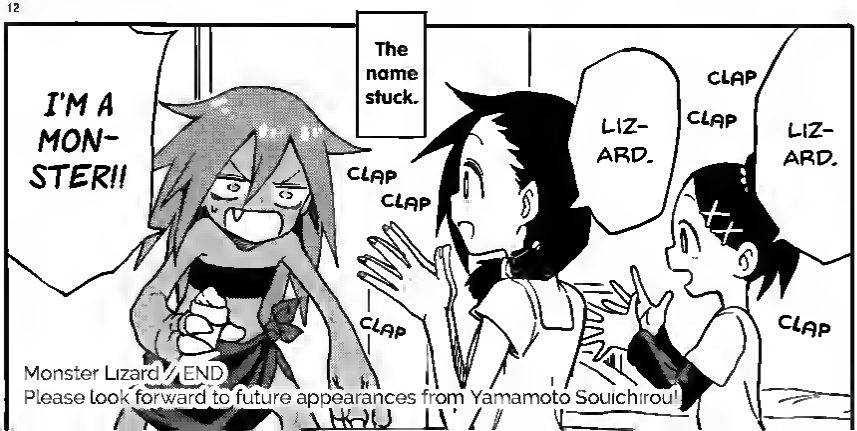
YOU PROB-ABLY ATE TOO MUCH.
...BUT I'M STARTING TO FEEL ITCHY...





Monster Lizard / END
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